

Claims

What is claimed is:

- 5 1. A composition comprising:
 - (a) a PPI; and
 - (b) a liquid vehicle having a pH greater than 6.5 and a viscosity sufficient to maintain a uniform suspension of the PPI.
- 10 2. The composition of claim 1 wherein the liquid vehicle comprises a metal salt buffer.
3. The composition of claim 1 wherein the proton pump inhibitor is lansoprazole.
4. The composition of claim 1 wherein the composition has at least 2 doses of the PPI.
- 15 5. The composition of claim 1 wherein the viscosity of the composition is greater than 50 cp.
6. The composition of claim 1 wherein the viscosity of the composition is greater than
 20 70 cp.
7. A method of treating a patient with a gastrointestinal disorder comprising providing to the patient a composition comprising a PPI and a liquid vehicle having a pH greater than 6.5 and a viscosity sufficient to maintain a uniform suspension of the PPI.
- 25 8. A kit comprising:
 - (a) a first container having dry ingredients including a PPI; and
 - (b) a second container having liquid ingredients;
 wherein when said first and second container are combined they provide a
 30 formulation comprising a PPI and a liquid vehicle having a pH greater than 6.5 and a viscosity sufficient to maintain a uniform suspension of the PPI for 15 minutes.